

# FACT SHEET

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## SUNNYVALE SKATEPARK

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**LOCATION:** The Skatepark is located at Fair Oaks Park, 540 Fair Oaks Ave., in Sunnyvale.

**HOURS:** The park is open every day, 7 a.m. to sunset.

**SIZE:** 18,500 square feet

**CAPACITY:** no capacity issues because of design

**FACILITY DETAILS:** The park is unsupervised and is used at the participant's own risk. Skaters are required to wear a helmet as well as elbow and knee pads.

**COST:** planned cost of \$570,092

**FUNDING SOURCES:** City of Sunnyvale and prop 12

**WHY IT WAS BUILT:** Need was identified through a Sunnyvale Parks and Recreation teen needs survey

**HOW LONG DID IT TAKE TO BUILD:** June 2002 to April 2003

**WHO BUILT IT:** A.J. Vasconi General Engineering of Concord was awarded the contract for construction of the Sunnyvale Skate Park

**EXPECTED DEMAND/USAGE:** We expect high usage. There is growing anticipation among the skateboard community.

**CONCERNS:** The bicycle community would like to permit bmx biking; it is prohibited, however, because it is not included in the liability language and the park is not designed to accept biking.

**SUPPORT:** Community outreach was broad prior to construction and we received significant support, including that of many neighbors.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Sunnyvale Parks and Recreation (408) 730-7506